PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA

DOCKETING DEPARTMENT

NOTICE OF HEARING

DOCKET NO. 2005-4-G

PIEDMONT NATURAL GAS COMPANY - ANNUAL REVIEW OF THE PURCHASED GAS ADJUSTMENT (PGA) AND GAS PURCHASING POLICIES

On April 6, 1988, the Public Service Commission of South Carolina issued its Order No. 88-294 which requires the annual review of the Purchased Gas Adjustment and the Gas Purchasing Policies of Piedmont Natural Gas Company.

In order for testimony and evidence to be received from all interested parties, a public hearing will be held in the Commission's hearing room, Synergy Business Park, Saluda Building, 101 Executive Center Drive, Columbia, South Carolina on <u>Wednesday</u>, <u>July 20</u>, <u>2005 at 10:30</u> <u>A.M.</u> *Please refer to Docket No. 2005-4-G*.

Any person who wishes to participate in this matter, as a party of record with the right of cross-examination should file a Petition to Intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, on or before **June 3, 2005**. *Please refer to Docket No. 2005-4-G*.

Any person who wishes to testify and present evidence at the hearing should notify, in writing, the undersigned and Mr. Tom Skains, President & COO, Piedmont Natural Gas Company, Post Office Box 33068, Charlotte, North Carolina 28233 on or before **June 3, 2005**, and indicate the amount of time required for his presentation. *Please refer to Docket No. 2005-4-G*.

Any person who wishes to be notified of any change in the hearing date, but does not wish to present testimony or be a party of record, may do so by notifying the Docketing Department in writing at the address below on or before **June 3, 2005.** *Please refer to Docket No. 2005-4-G.*

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE: Any person who wishes to have his or her comments considered as part of the official record of this proceeding <u>MUST</u> present such comments, in person, to the Commission during the hearing.

Persons seeking information about the Commission's Procedures should contact the Commission in Columbia at 803-896-5100.

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